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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Docket No.:LANNFELT=1A

Honorable Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

For: PREVENTION AND TREATMENT ...)

Sir:

Prior to examination upon the merits and prior to calculation of the filing fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel Claims 1-7 and 16.

Please rewrite claim 21 in amended form as follows:

21. (Amended) A method according to claim 17, in combination with compound(s) having therapeutic benefits to AD patients.